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The Honorable Naomi Reice Buchwald
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United States Courthouse
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Re: United States v. Jermaine Parsons, et al.
05 Cr. 862 (NRB)

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Application granted
only until October 18, 2006.
So Ordered
Naomi Reice Buchwald
USDC

Dear Judge Buchwald:

The Government submits this letter to request a modification to the pretrial ^{10/13/06} schedule that was set at the conference held on May 25, 2006. Pursuant to that schedule, the parties are required to submit proposed voir dire and jury charges by tomorrow, October 13, 2006. The Government respectfully requests an enlargement of time, until October 19, 2006, for the parties to submit their proposed voir dire and requests to charge. Defendant Chance Brown joins in this request for additional time.

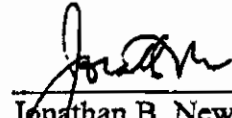
This case is currently set for trial beginning on October 23, 2006, for all defendants except for Sharif Simpson. As the Court is aware, several defendants are scheduled to plead guilty within the next few days. The Government is presently finalizing discussions concerning a possible disposition of the case with counsel for the three remaining defendants – Jose Gonzales, Chance Brown, and Devon Archer. The Government expects that it will be able to complete its negotiations with at least two of these three defendants by the final pretrial conference, which is scheduled for Tuesday, October 17, 2006. In light of the ongoing and productive plea

negotiations between the parties, the Government respectfully requests additional time for the parties to file proposed voir dire and requests to charge.

Respectfully submitted,

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